

Western New York Remediation Section

Week ending April 17, 2015

Five Year Reviews:

- **Peter Copper Landfill (Sherrel Henry): Signed on 4/1.**
- **FMC Corp (Isabel Rodrigues): Draft report sent to SC for review on 3/24.**
- **Batavia Landfill (Michael Walters): Draft report sent to SC for review on 4/2.** Mark Bellis (EPA) conduct the FYR site inspection yesterday (4/13). A few minor adjustments with the maintenance of the site appear necessary. The Town Engineer, Steve Mountain, was not present at the site inspection. (He was supposed to be there.) Aaron Richardson (ARCADIS), a technical consultant for the Town of Batavia, was the only other party present at the site inspection. RPM is arranging an interview with the Town Engineer to discuss the issues raised by the site inspection report.

Deletions:

- **Con Iron Deletion (Mike Negrelli): No change in status.** The site was delisted on 12/3/14 upon publication of the NOD in the Federal Register. A notification was published in the Times Herald Record on 12/9/14. The PRP group is preparing another CD modification for DOJ review and approval based on additional monies obtained through settlements with outside parties. Once the CD modification is final, the Federal government will receive 50% of the funds. The SOL for any further CD modifications will occur in July 2015. Once the SOL milestone is reached, we will be able to prepare a final accounting to NYS within the terms of the SSC.

Vapor Intrusion Sampling:

Kentucky Avenue (Isabel Rodrigues): No Change in status. SVI sampling was done by the PRP and preliminary results show no TCE detections.

Olean Well field (Michael Walters): ERT is conducting VI testing at five homes and the State Farm Office building last week. The public response to EPA's recent request to conduct home VI testing was very low. As a result, ERT already had sufficient funds to perform the assignment. The VI results should be available within three weeks.

Facet (Isabel Rodrigues): A new round of SVI sampling was conducted in the vicinity of the site during the week of January 12th. Based on the sampling results 2 houses required the installation of an abatement system. Removal installed one abatement system. The second access was not received on time and Removal couldn't install the system. Removal obtained access from 3 additional homeowners and will be conducting sub slab and indoor sampling at their houses sometime this week.

Other:

New Casser (Jennifer LaPorta): OU1 RD and OU3 RI/FS Negotiations. No Change in Status.

Jennifer sent Sharon comments on the draft UAO on 3/31. Sharon is reviewing the OU1 RD. Anticipated completion date is April.

NCIA PRPs informed provided individual responses on 2/13 regarding their willingness to continue OU1 RD and OU3 RI/FS negotiations on the condition that upgradient parties (Sylvania (GTEOSI), General Instruments) participate. ERRD and ORC met on 2/24 and will draft UAO for OU1 RD only. OU3 RI/FS will be fund lead and RPM to begin drafting enforcement memo and funding package to initiate RI/FS work. OU3 RI/FS to be conducted in phases with the intent of re-initiating negotiations with PRPs after initial data has been collected. Jennifer drafted RACs SOW for OU3 RI/FS and has received comments from Pete.

